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S'HAL, N'SAKI & KOBÉ.	Romana.	About 2nd Oct.	Freight or Passage, (passing KOBÉ through the INLAND SEA).
N'SAKI & KOBÉ.	Brindisi.	4th Oct.	Freight or Passage.
KOBÉ & YAMA.	Shanghai.	About 4th Oct.	Freight or Passage.
SHANGHAI.	K'iao & Hind.	About 7th Oct.	Freight or Passage.
LONDON.	Lyons.	10th Oct.	See Special Advertisement.
JAPAN.	Yokohama.	Noon, 11th Oct.	Freight or Passage.
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Intimations.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND
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LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EX-
TRAORDINARY General Meeting
of the above Company will be held at the
Office of the Company, No. 18, Bank
Hill, on MONDAY the 30th day of Sep-
tember, 1895, at twelve o'clock Noon, when
the Subjunct Resolution will be pro-
posed:—

That the Capital of the Company be
reduced from \$1,500,000 divided into
80,000 shares of \$20 each to \$1,200,000
divided into 60,000 shares of \$20 each
and that such reduction be effected by
returning to the holders of the 20,000
shares which have been issued capital
to the extent of \$5 per share and by
reducing the nominal amount of all
the shares from \$20 to \$15.

Should the Resolution be duly passed it
will be submitted for Confirmation as a
Special Resolution to a Second Extraordi-
nary Meeting which will be subsequently
convened.
Dated the Thirtieth day of September,
1895.
By Order of the Board,
C. TOMLIN,
Acting Secretary.

HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S
SOCIETY.

THE Annual General Meeting for the
purpose of receiving the Committee's
Report and Statement of Account for past
year; Electing Committee for ensuing year;
and for the transaction of General Busi-
ness, will be held at the City Hall on
MONDAY, 30th September, at 5.30 p.m.
O. MURRAY ADAMSON,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, September 21, 1895.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA
MASONIC BENEVOLENCE FUND
CORPORATION.

THE Quarterly Meeting of the above
CORPORATION will be held at the
Masonic Hall, on MONDAY, the 30th
Inst., at 5 for 5.30 p.m.

By Order,
A. O. GOURDIN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, September 27, 1895.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

APPROACHES TO HONGKONG.
EXTINGUISHING OF CAPE
D'AGUILAR LIGHT.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and
after the 1st MARCH, 1896, the
LIGHT on CAPE D'AGUILAR (South-East
extremity of Hongkong Island) will be
EXTINGUISHED.

W. C. H. HASTINGS,
Acting Harbour Master, &c.
Harbour Department,
Hongkong, 4th September, 1895.

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Care of THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, September 24, 1895.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fourteenth Ordinary General
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS
will be held at the Offices of the Under-
signed, at 12 o'clock (Noon), on SATUR-
DAY, the 19th Proximo.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 19th
Proximo, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents,
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
Hongkong, September 28, 1895.

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COAL MERCHANT,
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Business Office: No. 21, Gilman Street.

Notice of Firm.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this Day RESUMED
CHARGE.

JAS. B. COUGHTRE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, September 26, 1895.

Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

The following Particulars and Condi-
tions of SALE OF CROWN LAND by
PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot,
on MONDAY, the 30th day of September,
1895, at 3 p.m., are published for general
information.
By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 14th September, 1895.

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting
by Public Auction Sale, to be held on
Monday, the 30th day of September,
1895, at 3 p.m., by Order of His Ex-
cellency the Governor, of One Lot of
Crown Land, at Shaukiwan Road
(West of Market), in the Colony of
Hongkong, for a term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary measures.	Area in sq. ft.	Area in acres, roods, sq. ft.
Shaukiwan Island (No. 277)	Shaukiwan Road (West of Market)	100 ft. by 100 ft.	10,000	0 1 10

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PARTICULARS OF SALE
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Situate at Tai Kok Tsui, Kowloon,
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TO BE SOLD.

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ON
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the 2nd October, 1895, at his Sales Room,
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Being all that Freehold or Leasehold
GROUND with the Messuages thereon
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Registered in the Land Office as KOW-
LOON INLAND LOT No. 134, of the
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Hongkong, January 5, 1895.

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12	all	185 % prem., buyers

£	8	10m.
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0	2	100	3	21	\$241, sales and sellers
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0	2	100	8	90	\$05

230	\$	50	\$255, sales
125	all	134	% pr. m.
50	all	\$624	
50	all	\$63	
20	all	\$61	sales and buys

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00 \$	50	all	\$47, sales
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00 \$	50	\$	40	\$21, sales and rollers

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00	\$	4	32	\$6, buyers
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0000	10	all	\$131
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000	51	all	\$15, buyers
000	15	\$12.50	\$7, sellers
000	1	\$1	nom.
000	1	\$15/-	\$10
000			\$2 buyers

000	10	all	\$21
000	25	all	\$21
000	50	all	\$36
000	10	all	\$9, sales and buyers
000	25	all	\$96, sales and buyers
000	50	all	\$140

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